TE GUARD ITEMS FROM NORTH CAR-OLINA.

w Company-A Batch of Colonels Commissioned-Agricultural-Sentenced to Be Hanged.

(Special telegram to the Dispatch.) RALRIGH, N. C., March 24.-The Extive Committee of the State Agriculral Society met here this morning, resident W. G. Upchurch presiding, an fixed October the 16th to 18th as the e of the next State Fair at Raleigh. Application for the organization of a itary company at Greensboro' was recived by Governor Scales to-day. The flicers are R. Percy Gray, captain; S. Alderman, first lieutenant; Ellison Gilmer, second lieutenant, The co pany was accepted, and will be assigned to the Third regiment as Company B. An order which will be issued Monday will state that no companies other than those which have made application at

this date will be received. The Governor to-day appointed magistrates for the counties of Cabarrus and

in-Obief made the following appoint-ments on the general staff of the North Carolina State Guard, all with the rank of colonel: Engineer-in-Chief, William Gaston Lewis, of Goldsboro'; Commissary-General, John L. Cantwell, of Wilmington; Inspector of Rifle-Practice, John B. Broadfoot, of Fayetteville. A commission was issued to J. C. L. Gudger as captain of the Richland Ritles, of

her, Dr. William T. Richardson, editor of the Central Presbyterian, is here, the guest of Hon. Edwin G. Reade, and preach at the First Presbyterian to-morrow morning.

Board of Agriculture to meet here A the 19th, and to the Board of Trusof the State Agricultural and Mecal College to meet here April the in joint meeting. On a later date college. Bids for the construction main building of the college will ned that day and contracts award-The building is to be an imposing ure—170 feet in length by 60 deep, L. Polk, State secretary of the ers' Alliance, to-day issued the sixhas been sentenced to be hanged

y, will be a candidate for the Demo-nomination for State Auditor. san able and popular gentleman

mey and scarcity. informed vesterday, these have in at of Agriculture regards as par-

Confederate cemetery in the State, as also a "Confederate Park," exng along the river. At the highest stands a granite shaft, thirty feet miles. This monument is to be emorial Day" in this State, ev. James Westen, of Christ church,

city, will next mouth begin the I counties, and who, it is n some way a senseless rumor started

the Durkam and Northern railway Deville Company, and that work it would cease. Major John C. do, president of the Durham and red is being very actively pushed

of the monument of the late Captain olph A. Shotwell are being made fise contract for the monument iteal for its completion by August. Confederate cemetery here, very near menument to Colonel J. McLeod call is extended to the counties of

Caven, Pamlico, Beaufort, Hyde, Car-teet, Jones, Onslow, and Lenoir, to in together and form a permenent soty for the holding of an annual fair Newberne. It is an important move-

North Carolinians are much interested the proposed Virginia State Exposin and will attend it in large numbers. North Carolina Exposition in 1884 one of the most successful, finanlly as well as otherwise, ever held. Its dest, W. S. Primrose, and its secrean give the promoters of the Vira Exposition a great deal of very inte information on the subject. It most certain now that in a few years th Carolina will have another expesi-

weather has really done much dam-to fret in that region, and has killed

t Dridson College Rev. W. W. ore. L. D., of the Union Theological twenty loaded cars were taken out by the roads centering here. Of this numcolumbia Seminary, the annual ser-beloe the Young Men's Christian ation at the coming commence-

teres in Rev. Mr. Pearson's revival clingant Wilmington is on the inthree thousand persons hear chnight on an average, schooler Frances, R. W. Hicks, magton, owner, is high and dry

bach at Wrightsville sound and atotal loss. She is loaded with crapke inlet is to be deepened so as

Washington and points on Pamlico sound. It is an important work.

the Burlington Switchmen.

the Burlington, which yesterday was part in the convention. engineers' strike, is to-day at a standto the action of 200 switchmen emved in the Burlington yards here, who struck early this morning without any notice whatever to the road. The witchmen at Aurora, Ill., also stopped out affected, as far as the company w, up to 9 o'clock this morning. officials decided, however, to move treight at all until this second strike

moving. Passenger trains are running BURLINGTON, IOWA, March 24.here has not as yet been any strike of the switchmen here, and none reported

settled, and with the exception of live-

stock trains in transit no freight is

on the Iowa division.
Sr. Leuis, March 24.—The report of a etrike among the brakemen and switch-men on the Burlington system has not materialized in this city, or in East St. men on the Burlington system has not materialized in this city, or in East St.

Louis, and inquiry among the men gives no cause to believe that there will be made on Dr. Bull's Cough Syrup free of made on Dr. Bull The company received no notice what. | press.

ever of the intention of the strike, and has as yet received no authoritative ex-planation. The switchmen, however, have been heard to say that they objected to working on an engine not handled by a Brotherhood man. As one of them put it this morning: "I don't

throw another switch for a non-Brother-

In the yards this morning and around

the Brotherhood headquarters it was

t is thought that as fast as the Grievance

switchmen employed by the Burlington here and two or three hundred at other

points along the line; so that in all about

00 men are involved. About fifty are em-

gincers' strike at the present time?'

THE BUBLINGTON TROUBLES.

Ausner in Judge Gresham's

Court.

answer in Judge Gresham's Court to-

day to the petition of the Chicago,

The answer was a sensation of the first

magnitude. It in terms and in detail

charges the Burhngton and Quincy with

railroad trust, with all the objectionable

features of such trusts, which have be-

come familiar to the public through re-

vas imaggurated by the Burlington Com-any to force other roads into such a

trust; that its policy towards the engi-

discrimination, and alleges that it is now

way it stands.

hood man, and no man can make me.'

common gossip that the switchmen had been taken into the fold of the Engineers' Washington, March 24 .- The death and Firemen's Brotherhood in consider of Chief-Justice Waite leaves Justice ration of their going out on a strike. The officials of their association have Miller the oldest member in the service of the court and all official papers will be been very anxious from the beginning of the strike trouble that the Brothersigned by him as "senior associate jusbood of Engineers should take them into their councils and place them on an equal footing, as they had done with the firemen; but the engineers seemed loth

tice." Speculation as to the probable appointee to fill the vacancy is still the main topic here, and many new names are mentioned to-day. Among them that of Rufus Wheeler Peckham, of to do it and gave as a reason that when strikes occurred among the switchmen it was not long before coupling-pins were flying through the air, and not long of the New York bar, and it is known of the New York bar, and it is known after that the militia or military were called out. It would seem that the two that his relations with the President are of the most friendly and confidential organizations have finally come to terms. character Ex-Solicitor of the Treasury McCue is also spoken of from that State. Committee return to their homes all the switchmen between this point and Denver will quit. There are about 200 There seems to be a very general im-pression that Mr. Cleveland will proably select a lawyer from the Empire

JUSTICE.

More Names Mentioned-A Drop in Bell-

Telephone Stock, and the Cause-

Briefs.

(From Our Regular Correspondent,

ployed at Galesburg, and all but one struck this morning. But at Burlington there, and can make his selection upon and St. Louis the men were all at work his own knowledge of the man. Some at last advices. Only three switch-engines Republicans assert that if Mr. Carlisle were at work on the line in Chicago towere nominated the Republican senators day, they being used for making up passenger trains. The switching for them of Judge Field are pressing his elevawould refuse to confirm him. The friends was done by officials of the road who tion to the Chief Justiceship as a volunteered for the work. fitting reward for his long and eminent services on the bench, but Chief Arthur was interviewed to-day, but his ignorance remains as profound Democrats generally think that he is too as it has always been since the ongineers' strike began. He did not know the switchmen had struck until he read the age would warrant the expectation that announcement in the papers. When asked why the switchmen went out he replied: "That's their business, not ties that the next President may be a Re-We have had nothing to do with publican, and that it would at least be the switchmen's strike, nor do we intend imprudent to fail to secure a Democrat own affairs, and will not presume to meddle with those of other organization afford to take any chances in so important a matter, when it is so easy it. Strange to say, there are Democrats, and among them Judge Cuiberson, chair-'The men won't give in, and the company say that they will not. That's the man of the Judiciary Committee of the House, who would like to see Justice Miller preferred to a Democrat. While

mes Byers, convicted in Wilkes Su-r Court of the murder of Henry Ed. The Rock Island Company Files Its there is no question as to his ability and | The child brought back ten cents mission, one of the best lawyers in the Burlington and Quincy railroad that United States, but a Republican in the Rock Island Company be com-pelled to receive and handle Chi-cago, Burlington and Quincy cars. BELL-TELEPHONE STOCK. Bell-telephone stock has dropped seve-

having attempted to form a gigantic cent agitation of the subject in the newspapers; that recent ruinous rate-cutting was no other reason for such a strike; that it has absorbed to itself about all of bring about strikes on other roads, the cide in their favor, even should the surviving Justices who sat in the recent case fail to be convinced by the new evinight she sat by her dying child, and Rock Island among others, by at-tempting to compel an interchange of traffic that would bring on a strike that "Mr. Weston informs me that known from the difference of traffic that would bring on a strike and generally that the entire policy of the matter inclined to doubt this, but to his mind the known facts control to his mind the selection of the Chief Justice, and generally that the entire policy of the Burlington has been directed to the full monopoly may have a direct interest in the selection of the Chief Justice, and generally that the entire policy of the Burlington has been directed to the Burlington has been directed to the entire policy of the Burlington has been directed to the Entire thus monopoly may have a direct interest in the selection of the Chief Justice, and generally that the entire policy of the Burlington has been directed to the be held in the hall of the House of Repair to the Still problem. The matter is in the selection of the Chief Justice, and generally that the entire policy of the Burlington has been directed to the be held the one's grip on life still needs to the House of the house, and altered to the following the sail of the House of the and ever has been willing to perform such duty, but it denies that it is under any obligation, legal or moral,

result in great injury to a considera-ble portion of the population of several attend the meeting on Thursday next. States and to its own stockholders; and especially does it deny that it is its duty make such an attempt, with the convention. The time for the convenknowledge of the results which would follow, when it is demanded by the competitor for the purpose of pacompetitor for the purpose of paralyzing its railway, demoralizing in difference between the Republican the business of several States, and leaders of the State, but believes that

States. Comparatively few people were present in court, and before either the Burlington court, and before either the Burlington court in the convention.

Mr. Bowden tells me that the Committee of the convention in the conventio present in court, and before either the Burlington complaint or the extraordinal ry reply of the Rock Island could be read Judge Gresham inquired of the attorneys on either side how much time they are expected to require. Wirt Dexter, for the Rock Island could be read at the House of Representatives about noon of mittee and Commerce have Tucsday and mittee on Commerce have Tucsday and logies were delivered by Judge Simon, ex-Judge Magrat, Speaker Simons, of the House of Representatives about noon of next Wednesday. The remains will be next Wednesday. The remains will be next Wednesday. The remains will be acconveyed to Toledo for interment, and the services should be made in the half of the House of Representatives about noon of next Wednesday. The remains will be next Wednesday. The remains will be acconveyed to Toledo for interment, and the services should be made in the half of the House of Representatives about noon of next Wednesday. The remains will be next Wednesday. The remains will be acconveyed to Toledo for interment, and the House of Representatives about noon of next Wednesday. The remains will be next Wednesday. Attorney-General Miles, assistant distinct the family expressed a desire that the services should be held in the church. the Burlington, answered grimly that if the Rock Island was in the same box Norfolk and Newport News collection yers. with the Wabash no time at all would districts as one of those which shall be be asked by him. The matter could be called up by the committee. He intends settled in a jiffy.

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Senate.

The Senate was not in session to-day.

Mr. Stone, of Missouri, in an ex-

haustive speech urged the necessity of separating the machinery of the State courts entirely from that of the Federal

Mr. Weaver, of Ohio, while giving his

adherence to most of the features of the

bill, opposed the provision for the ap-pointment of nine additional circuit judges. He was in favor of legislation

which instead of providing for more udges would tend to curtail the jurisdic-

on of Federal courts and turn the

ousiness of the country in the local

tee rose and the House adjourned.

Judge Gresham announced that he also for the meeting of Congress.

Mr. Mills has taken a severe cold, and would set the hearing for Monday; and by consent of all parties, either in Chireport from Goldsboro' says the Judge Gresham should be that day, would be the place of trial. are at work on a report, but it will probably be some time before they will be ready to present it.

The following storekeepers and gaugers. THE BOYCOTT RAISED AT DENVER, DENVER, Col., March 24 .- The boy-

cott on the Burlington was raised at Denver to-day. One hundred and twenty loaded cars were taken out by the roads centering here. Of this number one hundred were hauled by the Denver and Rio Grande.

Proposed Convention in the Interest of immigration to the South.

Blassing Pilot-Roads.

Inave been appointed : Joseph F. Givens, Court of the murder of William Thomas, whom they waylaid at a church-door last Sunday and stoned to death. William Froposed Convention in the Interest South River, N. C.; John B. Foard, South River, N. C.; William G. Bradprisonment for life.

The Missing Pilot-Roads. have been appointed : Joseph F. Givens,

New York, March 24,—In view of the FIFTIETH CONGRESS. Washington, March 24, 1888.

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expected increased magnitude of the meeting proposed to be held at Hot Springs, N. C., in the interest of immigration to the southern States east of Mississippi and including Maryland on the north, the date of the convention has been postponed until the 25th of April. Already seven of the eleven Governors have responded favorably to the invitation, and the postponement will probably enable Governor Buckner, who would have been prevented at-By telegraph to the Dispatch.] tending the earlier meeting by reason of Concaso, March 24.—Freight traffic the Legislature being in session, to take

Advocating Woman's Suffrage. (By telegraph to the Dispatch.)
WASHINGTON, D. C., March 24.—Mrs. Elizabeth Cady Stauton read a paper be-fore the House Judiciary Committee today advocating woman's suffrage. Dr. Mary Walker, who was present, attempted to express her views upon the subject, but was suppressed by the com-

[By telegraph to the Dispatch.]
ALBANY, N. Y., March 24,-A cablegram was received in this city to-day an-nouncing the death of ex-Governor John T. Hoffman of heart-disease this morntribunals.

The argument was continued by Messrs. Anderson of Iowa, Wilson of Minnesota, Holman, Culberson, and others. Pending the debate the commiting at Weisbaden, Germany.

Cambridge Wins. (By Angio-American cable to the Dispatch.)
LONDON, March 24.—Cambridge won the University boat-race. Time: 20 minutes and 48 seconds.

SPECULATIONS AS TO THE SUCCESSOR OF THE CHIEF

the neck with a rifle. When found he was sitting in a chair with the rifle between his legs. It is supposed he struck his wife with his cane, fracturing her skull. No cause is assigned for the tragedy. McClune was a large man and quick-tempered. His wife was a small worse. It is thought that he struck her woman. It is thought that he struck her in a quarrel, and then, stricken with remorse, killed himself.

A CRAZED MOTHER'S CRIME. Fear of Starvation Drives Her to the

Murder of Her Children. (By telegraph to the Dispatch.) YORK, March 24.-Minnie Liebknecht, a German widow, crazed by want and fear of being separated from her three children or seeing them starve, administered poison to them at her home, No. 154 Twenty-eighth street. Two died—Anthony, aged nine, and Charles, aged seven. The third boy, removed, and will be replaced by German three and a half years old, named Christopher and the control of Austrian officers. topher, was still alive, and was removed to the New York Hospital. She herself reported her act at the police station at represent him in the transaction of 2 o'clock this morning. The mother state business, is now recognized as tanwas taken to Jefferson-Market police station to-day, and then sent to the coroner's office, where she was committed the Crown-Prince William fuller powers to the Tombs. Before being taken to in the event of the Emperor sudprison she drew the photographs of her denly State for the reason, among others, that his acquaintance with members of the children from her pocket, and asked if she would be permitted to keep them. When told that she could retain them, she bar outside of that State is limited, while, as a New York lawyer himself, he shouted excitedly: "They wanted to is supposed to know the best material take my children from me, but they can't

do it now."
Dr. Way, the deputy coroner, conrom scute mania. When the woman told her story at the

her recent history in a listless, mechanical way, as though it was a worn-out theme old, and that the President in choosing that long since had lost all interest to is that he is able to take a little daily could not keep them. Work was failing, make a comparative certainty of that she must lose them scon. Rather is abating. In a letter written by him to than that she decided to kill them. She thought it over, and by Wednesday had "It is impossible for me to rectify the thought it over, and by Wednesday had made up her mind fully. She sent Annumberless falsehoods concerning my thony, the eldest of the boys, to a drugstore with a quarter to buy rat poison. integrity, his nomination would be a confession that there was no Democratic lawyer in the country capable, in the draught into three equal parts, gave gratulate my colleague, Dr. Bramann, President's opinion, of filling the office, or else that he preferred a Republican to was on Wednesday morning. Very soon was effected under my pressing demand, Chicago, March 24.—The Chicago, or else that he preferred a Republican to Rock Island and Pacific railway filed its a Democrat. The same remark applies afterward all three were taken ill. to Judge Cooley, of the Interstate Com- Watching their sufferings steadily, the mother stayed with them all that day, getting about the house without exciting the attention of tenants by unusual concern or any sign of alarm. itself, but he has symptoms of general Wednesday night and all Thursday the ill health. He has been advised, if the ral points since the announcement of the little sufferers lay in their dying agonies, work of the regency permits, to make a death of the Chief Justice. The court with the mother hovering about, seeing tour in the spring of Scotland and Nornow stands 3 to 3 on that case, beside | their lives abbing out slowly and surely, Justices Gray and Lamar. The counsel for the United States claim that the case of the United States against Bell is a very different and much stronger one eldest drank and cried that they were on all the members of the Bundesrath were than the private suits recently decided, fire. They begged to be taken out in present. and that when it comes up for hearing the back yard and have the hydrant the evidence of fraud in the procurement of the patent will be much but their feeble cries found a deaf ear with stronger than it was in the other the mother and did not reach the outer ed, rising about three marks daily. stronger than it was in the other the mother and did not reach the other and did not reach the other suits, as they have procured a world. Unmoved she went about finsuits, as they have procured a world. Unmoved she went about finsuits, as they have procured a world. Unmoved she went about finsuits, as they have procured a world. Unmoved she went about finspread deal of new testimony on isbing her work. At 2 o'clock Thursday
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be hoped, however, that we shall not have a repetition of the scandal caused by Garfield's appointment of Judge their bed lay two boys long dead, and the little one gasping faintly on the sofa.

The REPUBLICAN COMMITTEE.

The room was meanly fournished but ward J. Waite, the second son, will reto attempt that which it knows to impossible, especially when such attempt could benefit no one and would result in great injury to a consideration of the Republican State that will be members of the Republican State the methat he will be members of the Republican State the methat he will be members to day deputized took the woman to the station and a hurtook the woman to the station and the woman to the wom took the woman to the station and a hur-ried call was sent for an ambulance. respectively to confer with the marshal

the business of several States, and forcing it and others into a combination prohibited by the laws of the United States. Comparatively few people were properly in court, and before either the convention.

In the United States Court here to-day resonant in the United States Court here to day the United States Court here to develop the sents to public functions of the United States Court here to develop the sents to public functions of the United States Court here to develop the sents to public functions o

Mr. Mitts Ill. [By telegraph to the Dispatch.]

reported Chairman Mills's condition this evening as greatly improved since yes-The Doctor expects that will be able to resume his duties in the House early in the coming week.

Marderers Convicted

(By telegraph to the Dispatch.)
ATLANTA, GA., March 24.—William Hopkins and Joseph Hopkins have both been convicted in the Rabun County Court of the murder of William Thomas,

By telegraph to the Dispatch.] New York, March 24.-Fourteen days have now passed since the pflot-boats Phantom and Enchantress put to sea, and nothing has been learned of their whereabouts. Most of the New York whereabouts. Most of the New York of a gorge about four hundred miles pilots believe that they went down at sea above here, and it is breaking the solid during the blizzard.

Mr. Steele, of Indians, from the Com-nittee on Military Affairs, reported a bill providing for the promotion of army officers after twenty years' continuous [By telegraph to the Dispatch.] LOUISVILLE, KY., March 24 .- Rev. J. hervice in one grade.

The floor was then accorded to the W. Pratt, one of the best-known minis-House went into Committee of the Whole (Mr. Hatch, of Missouri, in the chair,) on the bill to define and regulate the jurisdiction of the United States

(By telegraph to the Dispatch.)
New York, March 24.—In consequence of Secretary Fairchild's letter the axe began to fall in the naval office of the custom-house to-day. The removals in-cluded four Republicans, three Mugwumps, and two Democrats.

Richmond is experiencing a musical revival in many ways. In the churches, preparatory to Easter; the great Gilmore

lee after Lent, and in the home cirsire for better music at home is aroused it finds expression in a call at 914 Main Milled His Wife and then Himself. street and a conference with the Arm of Walter D. Moses & Co., resulting in the BERLIN'S BUDGET.

CONDITION OF AFFAIRS IN THE GER-MAN EMPIRE.

Austria's Position Toward Roumania-Crown-Prince William Acting as Regent-The Emperor's Condition. &c.

[Copyrighted by the New York Associated Press, 1888.] BERLIN, March 24 .- The situation between the central allies and Russia re-mains unchanged. The only alteration arises from the visit of the King of Roumania to Vienna, which has resulted in a desnite treaty under which Austria pledges herself to resist any violation of Roumanian Territory. The leading of-ficers of the Roumanian army, who are

The Emperor's decree of March 21st. authorizing the Crown-Prince William to denly growing worse. Both were obtained by Bismarck during his interviews with the Emperor at Charlottenburg. An incident of one of the interviews is told by Bismarck himself, and

is as follows : While talking to the Emperor the pain from the swollen veins in Bismarck's versed with her for some time and expresses the opinion that she is suffering out. The Emperor rose and lifted Bis legs was so severe that it made him erv marck's limbs into the couch and wrapped them around. Regarding the real police-station a roundsman was sent with state of the Emperor's health, it is diffiher to verify it. To him she related her recent history in a listless, mechanical The bulletins issued are utterly unreliable. Of his private life what is known a Chief Justice should take a man whose age would warrant the expectation that he would hold the office for a long time. They say that it is among the possibilities that the next President may be a Republicant and that it would at least be and sent to a juvenile asylum. Only not move out of the rooms that are beautiful to the product of the rooms that are beautiful to the product of the rooms that are beautiful to the product of the rooms that are beautiful to the product of the rooms that are beautiful to the product of the rooms that are beautiful to the product of the rooms that are beautiful to the product of the rooms that are beautiful to the product of the rooms that are beautiful to the product of the rooms that are beautiful to the product of the rooms that are beautiful to the product of the rooms that are beautiful to the product of the rooms that are beautiful to the product of the rooms that are beautiful to the product of the rooms that are beautiful to the product of the rooms that are beautiful to the product of the rooms that are beautiful to the product of the rooms that are beautiful to the product of the rooms that the is able to the product of the product of the rooms that are the sale to the receives in the orangery and the can be product of the rooms that are beautiful to the product of the rooms that the is able to the product of the rooms that the product of the rooms that the product of the product of the rooms that the is able to the product of the produc recently she had got them back with infinite trouble, opposed by poverty on one side and persecution of her husband's relatives on the other, but she cipitate a crisis. Dr. Mackenzie does not leave him more than half an hour at a and food getting scarce. She foresaw time. The feeling against Dr. Mackenzie

duties toward the Emperor. You can tinues to improve. understand that the stories about tracheworth otomy are entirely false. All I did

being convinced of its urgency A medical consultation has been held regarding the condition of Prince William, who is suffering from otitis media street

During the week the Bourse has shown a notable improvement all along the line.

THE LATE CHIEF JUSTICE. Arranging for the Funeral-The First Ceremonies to be Held in

Washington. (By telegraph to the Dispatch.) neral services of the late Chief Justice be held in the hall of the House of Representatives next Wednesday and that the body be privately interred at Toledo against the body be privately interred at Toledo against the Union Passenger-Railway

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The only case tried in the Hustings Court yesterday was that of Edward received from Mrs. Waite stating that MOURSING IN CHARLESTON.

CHARLESTON, B. C., March 24.—In the United States Court here to-day resoning or Thursday morning next. She congulty and gave him five years in the but they readily assented to the suggestion that the hall of the House would be

Washington, March 24.—Representative Mills, chairman of the Ways and Means Committee, is suffering from a severe cold and attendant fever, which has prevented his presence at the Capitol for the past two days and confined him to his bed.

Dr. Sowers, the attending physician, reported Chairman Mills's condition this including ex-Judge Strong, will act as Templars.

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company the remains to Toledo.

DAKOTA PLOODS. Immense Ice-Gorges-Indians Driven to the Hills-Scenes of Wild Confusion.

[By telegraph to the Dispatch.]

in the river broke at Stevenson, eighty miles above here, yesterday, and the river is outside of its banks. messages bring information that the flood threatens to be one of the greatest in the history of the country. The water was turned loose by the breaking ice as it comes. The flood at midnight had reached a point near Coal Harbor, fifty miles above, and is coming at the rate of nine miles an hour. It is believed by those who have made near Washburn, forty miles north, which will delay the flood at this point for at least a day. There still exists an immense gorge at Poplar river, and this is holding back a vast amount of water, which must come within the next week. The river here has risen three feet, and ice is raised in the middle of the stream by the pressure. Everything at the river landing here is in readiness for a flood, and railroad-men and river-men are preparing for the worst. The cold weather of last week has solidified the ice, and if it gorges, as in all probability it will, at Sibley island, the flood south of here will be as great as has ever been known. It is believed that the thrilling experi-ences of last year in rescuing people from the lowlands will not be repeated, as the settlers have had ample warning and are nearly all out of danger. At Stethis revival is the growing demand for the best pianos. Coexisting with this growth is that of the list of purchasers of the Hardman Piano. When the do-the third that the third the third that the third yesterday, the river leaped its banks with terrific force, submerging the entire lowlands near its banks so suddenly that there was no time for the removal of property. Immense piles of wood, cut for the use of boats, have been swept away. The Indians have been driven to the hills, and the scene is said to be one of wild confusion. If the gorge does not form at Washburn the flood will reach this point this morning. There is no

danger here, as the city is one hundred feet above high-water mark.

The Medical College of Alabama. [By telegraph to the Dispatch.] MOBILE, March 24.—The commence-ment of the Medical College of Alabama, to take place on the 29th instant, is now exciting unusual interest in the South-west, owing to the acceptance of an invitation by Jefferson Davis to be present as the guest of the college, and owing to the fact that Senator John T. Morgan has consented to deliver the annual ora-The Governors of Alabama and other distinguished persons, be invited

The Architect's Opinion. Colonel E. E. Myers, of Detroit, the architect who made the plans of our new City Hall, has sent the following letter: RICHMOND, VA., March 23, 1888.

To the Chairman and Members of the Committee on Grounds and Build-Gentlemen.-Being on a visit to your

city I have very carefully looked over the work and materials of the new City Hall building. I must say that the work so far executed is of a very superior cha-racter; in fact, I know of no building that has been erected within the last few years where the work is so excellently executed. I have examined the work very critically, and it is a pleasure to me to bear testimony to the facts stated.

None but a very competent and mas-ter-mind could ever accomplish the excellent results so far reached, and if the same course is pursued until the completion of the work, permit me to say that your city will have one of the best built buildings in this country. I have never seen such excellent work in any

excepted. The thanks of your board as well as myself are due to your City Engineer, Colonel W. E. Cutshaw, for the superior character of work executed and the careful selection of materials, he having

building before, government work not

exclusive charge of the entire work. Very truly yours, E. E. MYERS, Architect of new City Hall Building. This letter will be laid before the committee to-morrow evening.

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The bricklayers will begin work on the

penitentiary shoe-shops to-morrow. Dr. J. M. Roberts left yesterday evening for a short visit to Oxford, N. C.

The J. K. Emmet Company go to Norfolk by the Chesapeake and Ohio route this morning. If the weather is good Rev. Dr. William E. Judkins will officiate at the Sol-

RAILROAD BONDS.
A. and C. Guariette 1st 7's.
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Cape Fear & Yad, Valley.
Char. Col. and Augusta 1st 7's.
Caar., Col. and Augusta 2d 7's.
Columbia and Greenville 1st 6's.
Columbia and Greenville 2d 6's.
Georgia Pactific 1st 6's.
Feteraburg Class 8 6's.
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Rich, York R. and Ches. 1st 8's.
Virginia Midlaud gou'l mort 5's.
Virginia Midlaud gou'l mort 5's. Home chapel to-day at 4 o'clock P. M. Miss Florence Kemper, daughter of ex-Governor Kemper, is the guest of Mrs. Lucien Tatum, 9 west Franklin

engaged to furnish the music at the Oxford (N. C.) jubilee, which takes place the 18th of next month. Mr. Moses Thalhimer, after four weeks'

Jardella's band and orchesta have been

absence North, and being blockaded four days by the blizzard at Princeton, N. J., is expected home this morning. A meeting of Company C, of the First regiment, was called for last night to elect a captain, but there were not enough members in attendance to pro-

ceed with business. Mr. Thomas Gamble, formerly of Philadelphia, and lately connected with the reportorial staff of the Whig, of this city, WASHINGTON, March 24 .- A telegram will leave here to-day for Savannah, Ga., as been received from Mrs. Waite ac- to accept a position on the Times, an

Mr. J. D. K. Sleight will spend to-day in Williamsburg in the interest of the in the morning at the Presbyterian church, in the afternoon at a mass-meeting of all the Sunday schools of the place, and at night in the Presbyterian

including ex-Judge Strong, will act as Templars Rev. S. S. Lambeth will de-

[By telegraph to the Dispatch.]

WASHINGTON, March 25—1 A. M.—For Virginia, light to fresh variable winds, becoming easterly, slightly warmer, fair weather, followed by snow or rain.

For North Carolina, light to fresh southerly winds, warmer, fair weather. THE WEATHER IN RICHMOND YESTERDAY WAS Range of Thermometer Yesterday: BISMARCK, DAK., March 24 .- The ice HOUSE DECORATIONS.

CHICAGO, March 24.—At the opening on 'Change to-day there was every indication from the temper of the crowd that still lower points would be reached by the leading grains and provisions. The wheat market was at the mercy of manipulators at the start, but after the opening it was left to itself for a time, and May savaneed to 76½c. The weakness returned later with renewed selling by professionals, and the price of May was kept between 76½ and 76½c the greater part of the time until the close, which was at the latter figure. After somewhat irregular action the core market closed ½ to ½c, better than last night's prices and 1½c, lewer than the price one week ago. The receipts here this morning were less than expected, and additional trouble on the furilington led to the belief that receipts would be still lighter for a time. The frest action of the market was downward, however, and continued pounding until May We display a very full line of SCARFS and TIDIES, now all the rage for decorating chairs, Silk-Braid Sets.

Something entirely new for Ladies' Dresses just received. Silver Trimming. The latest craze. GHLT and SILVER TRIM-MING for Ladies' Dresses, in handsome designs and at very reasonable figures.

Novelties as fast as they appear are displayed in our stock. PLUSH MATS, LAMBREQUINS, TABLE-COVERS, and PIANO-COVERS in new de-

Henrietta Cloths. All new shades at prices to please. SERGES t 50c, in spring shades. Mourning Goods.

PRIESTLEY'S MOURNING GOODS are well represented in our stock. Ladies' Vests. FA special bargain in LADIES' VESTS at 35c.—a regular 50c, Vest.

Parasols. Handsomest stock of PARASOLS ever display-Embroidered Mantles. BLACK EMBROIDERED MANTLES in all rades at prices to please.

Baby-Carriages.
Our stock is very large. Our styles are handome. Our prices are very low.

FINANCIAL.

NEW YORK, BALTIMORE, AND BICE

(By telegraph to the Dispatch.)

ninent. The close was active and generally and highest point of the day. Total sales, 143.00

WEEKLY BANK STATEMENT.

PALTIMORE STOOK MARKET.

RICHMOND STOCK EXCHANGE.

Closing quotations at the Stock Board:

GOVERNMENT SECURITIES.

United States 4's.................

STATE SECURITIES.

Richmond city 8's.

RAILROAD BONDS.

RAILROAD STOCKS.

INSURANCE COMPANIES.

Virginia Fire and Marine ...

WHEAT.—1,152 oushels. COSN.—151 bushels. OATS.—2,014 bushels. PEAS.—42 bushels. MILL-OFFAL.—15 tons.

MIDDLING, 9%c. LOW MIDDLING, 9%c. ORDINARY, 6%c.

National Bank of Virginia 103 104

GRAIN AND COTTON EXCHANGE.

OFFREINGS.

BALES REPORTED TO SECRETARY.

COTTON REPORT.

QUOTATIONS

ome old and new wrappers, and a fair auction

MARKETS BY TELEGRAPH.

NEW YORK.

NEW YORK,
NEW YORK, March M.—Cotton easy; sales 260 baies; uplands, 9 15-ica; Orissina, 9 10-ica; net recolite, 5,461 baies; exports—10-ica exports—10-ica grintain, 162 baies; to France, 6,827 baies; to Gran Britain, 162 baies; to France, 6,827 baies; to Gran Britain, 162 baies; to France, 6,827 baies; to Southern Seur quiet and unchanged. Wheatsee, firmly beid and fairly active; No. 2 red March, nominal, 88-jc.; April, nominal, 88-jc. May, 88-jc. closing at 54c. Cora—Options at vanced \$24jc.; closing at 58-jc.; June, 57-27-jc. Oat sleady but very quiet; No. 2, March, 57-jc. Syle, closing at 58-jc.; inited western, 26-dc. Hops quiet and steady. Coffee—Spot fail Rio quiet at \$14; options options 29 points lower closed stondy with the decline atmost recovered March, \$10.50a8,10.75; April, \$10.50a8,10.60; May \$10.45a8,10.5. Sugar quiet and firm; fair refining 413-19c; refined firm. Melasses quiet; 50 test barrels, 61;47-jc.; refined, 7-jc. at all porte Cotton-seed of quoted at 34c. for crude; 40c. for crude; 4

redned. Rosin steady at \$1.30a5.130g. Turper time steady at \$30a5940. Hides steady. Woo dull and weak. Pork quiet, steady, and no changed; mess, \$14.25a\$14.50 for old; \$14.50a\$i for new. Beef dull. Cut means unchanged an quiet. Middles dull. Lard beavy and very dull western steam, spot, quoted at \$7.50a\$7.02g. May, \$7.75a\$7.77. June, \$7.50. Freights dull.

CHICAGO.

Opening, Highest, Uts. Cts. 78% 76% 76% 77%

REVIEW OF THE CHICAGO MARKET.

50%

49%

OATS.

MESS-PORE.

BLACK PEAS. -42 busnels at 85c.

RICHMOND, March 34, 1883.

BANK STOCKS.

SATURDAY, March 24, 1888,

Bid to-day.

MOSD STOCK EXCHASORS Grain, Provisions, Cotton, Tobacco, Tur pentine, Rosin, Tar. and Peanut Markets.

BALTIMORE.

BALTIMORE, Mo., March 24.—Cotton nominally quiet and steady; middling, 10ai046. Floor steady and quiet. Wheat—Southern steady, with light offerings; red, 91a50c; ambee, 91a50c; western steady and dull; No. 2 since red. 2pos and March, 87ac; April, 57c. bid; May, 57ac; apos and March, 87ac; April, 57c. bid; May, 57ac; come-Southern higher for white; yellow steady; white, 5da50c; reliev. 50ai6c; western firmer and duli; mixed, spot and April, 59ac, bid; May, 57ac; come dul; mixed, 50ai6c; western white, 1sa40c; western mixed, 50ai6c. Rye firmer at 68a7ic. Previsions gliet and steady. Ergs higher at 17ai8c. Codes firmet in tone; Rio cargoes, ordinary to fair, 18ai6c. Segar—Copper-refined firm at 15ai5c. Whiskey quiet at 3.21a51.28. Other articles unchanged. Freights to Liverpool per steamer nominal—cotton, 1-16d.; Bour, per ton, 5c; grain, 8d. BALTIMORE. NEW YOUK, March 24.—The stock market to-day was at first very week, and the lowest prices for the week were reached in many cases; but a share reaction occurred later, and the majority of the list showed advances as a result of the day's operations. There was great anxisty to hear from Mr. Gould this morning, but no in-formation was fortheroming, and a determined drive was again made at Gould stocks and inci-dentally at the entire list. The opening was formation was forthcoming, and a determined drive was again made at Gould stocks and incidentally at the entire list. The opening was again weak at declines from last evenlug's closing, the figures extending to a percent, and the attack at the opening drove Missouri Pacific down 4% per cent, though the impression made upon the rest of the list was confined to fractions only—Union Pacific, Western Union, and Louisiana and Nashville being the heaviest sufferers. It soon became apparent that there was support in everything except in Gould stocks, and later there were signs of buying in those by interested parties; so the decline was soon onecked and the list began to recover immediately. The shorts covered freely, and the advance was stopped only by the close of business, though the volume of the business was after the decline ceased under marked decrease. Missouri Pacific, though remaining very feverish recovered all but y per cent of the loss of the day, and among the general itst New England was very conspicuous for its strength, advancing two points. Most of the list, however, were carried beyond the opening figures. Reading, Union Pacific, Western Union, Lackawanns, and St. Faul being the most prominent. The close was active and generally at the highest point of the day. Total sales, 142,000 shares.

CINCINNATL

CINGINNATI, March 24.—Flour easy. Wheat, No. 2 red. 854c. Corn harely steady; No. 2 mixed, 82c. Oats, steady; No. 2 mixed, 35% 84c. Pork dull at 214. Lard dull. Bulk-meats dull. Bacon easier Whiskey steady at \$1.19. WILMINGTON Wilminston, March 24.—Turpentine frm at 28c. Rosin dull: strained, 23;42; good strained, 85;6. Tar firm at \$1.10. Crude turpentine firm; hard, \$1; yellow-dip and virgin, \$2.

NORFOLK PEANUT MARKET.

LIVERPOOL COTTON MARKETS.

LIVERPOOL March 94--12-30 P. M.—Cotton dull; prices generally in the buyers' fever; uplands, \$5.16d.; Orleans. \$54d.; sales, 7,000 bales; speculation and expert, 1,000 bales; pacelpis, \$0.00 bales; American, \$4.000 bales; pacelpis, \$0.000 bales; March, \$16.6dd.; Futures steady at a decline; March, \$16.6dd.; April and Mayues, \$18.6dd.; May and June, \$18.6dd.; April and Mayues, \$18.6dd., also \$10.6dd.; April and August, \$12.6dd., also \$10.6dd.; September, all 6.0dd., also \$10.6dd.; September, \$21.6dd., also \$10.6dd., value; March, \$16.6dd., value; June and July, \$10.6dd., value; Jule and July, \$10.6dd., value; July, \$ LIVERPOOL COTTON MARKETS.

Baltimone, Mp., March 94.—Virginia 6's, past-he coupons, 61%; do, now 3's, 65; do, 10-40's, 38,

Death of a Naval Surgeon. (By telegraph to the Dispatch.)

Hampden Auliek, of the United States navy, died to-day, after several months' illness, at his residence in this city.

Many are complaining of dull times, but if you were to see the stream of people going into Julien Binford's store with their demijohns to be filled with

BROADDUS. - Died, in Fhiladelphia, Friday, March 23, 1885, at 4:30 P. M., MUNCOW W. BROADDUS, in the forty-seventh year of his

GRATTAN.—Died, on Saturday, With Instant, it 5 A. M., JANE ELVINA, reliet of the late canchy R. Grattan, in the eighty-second year of her age.
Funeral from Grace-Street Prestvieriat
church on SUNPAT, 20th instant, at 4:30 P. M.
The friends of the family are invited to at

ZIMMERMAN .- Died, in this city, on the 984 Instant, in the seventy-second year of his age, E. M. ZIMMERMAN.
Interment at Shockee Hill cemetery THIS AFTERNOON at 4 o'clock. Cons,-White, 22 bushels prime at 64c.; 32

HARINE INTELLIGENCE. MINIATURE ALMANAC, MARCH 25, 1898. i rises 5-67 Hisu Tips. i sets 6-20 Morning 2-41 on sets 4-40 Evening 8-15 MINIATURE ALMANAC, MARCH 05, 1888.

Sun sets. 6:25 Morning 3:29
Moon sets. 5:24 Evening 3:52 PORT OF RICKMOND, MARCH 24, 1888.

HIGH TIME:

SALED
Schooner Jonathau Sawyer, Reynolds, New
Haven, pig-iron, J. N. Gerdon, agont.
Schooner Clara, Galloway, Norfolk, sand and
granite; vessel, Curite & Parker.

idiy telograpia. Steamship Kanawha, Sears, New York, and

steamship anawan, soaks, see fork, and salled for New York with roal.

Steamship Seneca, Waiker, New York, and sailed for New York with merchandles.

Tug L C. Ward, with barge A. Jacason, New York, to load ceal.

Luited States ships Saratoga and Jamestowa, Schooner Lookout, Crane, New York, to load

BOT THE REGULAR QUARTERLY MEETING OF THE CHRISTIAN SUNDAY. day) ASTERNOON at 4 o'clock in the Seventh-Street Christian church, The public cordially nvited, W. P. Fox, President. invited. 160° THIRD CHRISTIAN CHURCH

PENCER. Subject in the morning,

CHICAGO.

CHICAGO. March 24.—Cash quotations were:
Flour duli and unchanged. No. 2 spring wheat,
71% a75c.; No. 2 red. 80%c. No. 2 corn. 48%c. No.
2 outs. 25% a29%c. Mess-pork \$13.30. Lard, \$7.45.
Short-rite, \$7.05; shoulders, 25a.56.10; short-clear
sites, \$7.55.56.50. Whiskey, \$1.15.
Leading futures ranged: corner Main and Sixth streets)—Rev. William W. Landbum, D. D., Paster.—Morning service at 11 o'clock; sermen by Rev. Dr. MERRIAM, of Boston. Evening service at So'clock; sermon by LOST, STRAYED, AND FOUND.

Manchester, a LIVER-COLORED POINTER DOG PUPPY. Tweive montas eld. White toes and white spot in breast. Asswers to the name of "Tom." The fader will be rewarded on returning him to the above address.

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STRAYED, YESTERDAY, ONE

A SURE AND SPEEDY PROFITABLE IN-

FOR SALE, MY RESIDENCE, in Salem, Rosnoke county, Va. Large hirds house, with water throughout; out-bousen gardes, orchard, quantity of the chade investigation of the chade investigat

RORFOLM FRANCE MARKET.

[Reported for the Dispatch.]

Mancer 24.—Market steady and unchanged.
Sales liberal all the week and receipts of stock
abundant. Prime, Stable, extra, 35c.: common, 15a2c; shelled, 2a2cc; Spanish, 2a2cc;
factory hand-ploked, 35catigo.

WEEKLY BANK STATEMENT.

NEW YORK, March 24.—The weekly bank statement shows the following changes: Keeserve, decrease, \$390,020; loans, decrease, \$17,000; specie, decrease, \$27,300; legal-ienders, decrease, \$963,700; deposits, decrease, \$2,579,000; circulation, decrease, \$8.800.

The banks now hold \$0,413,225 in excess of the 25 per cent rule,

WINCHESTER, VA., March 24. - Surgeon

Mr. Andrew Evensen has opened one of the neatest and best-arranged Sample Rooms in the city. He will be glad to see his friends and the public generally all day next Monday, March 26th, at 1322 east Main street. His tables will be leaded with all the delicacies of the season. Drop in and see Andrew next Monday, near the corner of Fourteenth and Main.

his \$2 and \$2.50 Whiskey you wouldn't think business was dull with him. His store is two doors below the Dispatch office, 1202 east Main. He claims his \$2 Whiskey to be equal to most whiskey sold at \$3 per gallen.

His remains, by his request, will be interred in the family burying ground in Gloucester county, Va.

WHEAT .- Longberry, 628 bushels very good at

We quote Fine, \$2.50a51.75; superdue, \$2.75a \$1.25; extra, \$1.50a\$1.75; family, \$1a\$1.50; patent family, country, \$1.75a\$3.23.

RICHMOND TOBACCO MARKET.

March 24, 1888.

Although there was much time consumed in the expecition meeting on 'Change there were several good sales of old fillers and smokers, perhaps fifty or more hegsheads, privately.

Steamer Ashland, Philadelphia, merchandise and passengers, J. W. McCarrick, agent.

PORT OF NEWPORT NEWS, MARCH 24, 1833.

Schooper S. G. Hupper, Watts, St. Thomas,

(corner of Twenty-sixth and Marshall streets),-Preaching at 11 A. M. and 8 P. M. by Rev. I. J. DE SECOND BAPTIST CHURCH

LOST.-STRAYED FROM

Inh 25-11 HARRY B. OWEN.

LOST, LADY'S HAND-BAG ON
1045 P. M. train from Ashland, of value to
loser only. A liberal reward will be paid if loft
at 1206 enet Main street. mh 25-11

NED COW. Tips of horns sawed off.

Will calve in about two weeks. A liberal reward will be paid for her recovery.

E. P. FORD,

REAL ESTATE AT PRIVATE SALE. FOR SALE, EXPOSITION LOTS,

mh 25-16

HOUSE FOR SALE AT ASEfrom Richmond, with two acres of grotied, more
or less. Parties wishing to purchase can ges
more land if desired. House new and well built,
and contains fifteen rooms; suitable out-buildings all conveniently arranged, and within five
infautes walk of post- and telegraph-office and
depot where all trains step. Inmediate postesslou given. One of the best lecations in this
rapidly-growing town. Address ASHLATE, care
of Dispatch office, Richmond, va. ma 36-48

LARGE AND HANDSOME FRABE
COTTAGE in Bon Jr, with about an acre of
ground, formerly complete by Dr. Hunter Mo
Guire as his summer residence. It contains
twelve rooms besides Richen and servante
rooms. There is also a large stable and carriage
house an the premises. To make a quick sale
price and terms will be reasonable. Apply to
E. SELDEN TAYLOR.
Roal Estate Agent and Auctionser.
mh 25-cod3t

Louisville, March 24.—Wheat—No. 2 red, 550. Corn—No. 2 white, Siable, Oats—No. 2 mixed, Shabbye, Provisions stondy, Bacon—Clear-rits sides, 58; clear sides, \$400; sheutders, 54.00. Bulk meats—Clear-rit sides, \$7.55; clear sides, 57.00; shoulders, 58.78. Meas pork, \$14.75. Sugar-cured hams, \$12.768\$13.25. Lard—Choice leaf,